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Personnel Listed For Schools In Unified District

Complete List Announced By Superintendent For Year

The complete roster of employees — teaching, administrative and others—for the 1952-53 year in the Tahoe Truckee Unified School District, has been announced by Superintendent Everett V. O'Rourke.

As expected, the largest number of employees will be at the unified high school at Truckee, where 13 teachers, including Principal George Bergen, will provide the staff. There, also, administrative offices, shops and other facilities will employ a number of non-certificated employees.

The list, as announced by O'Rourke, follows:

Everett V. O'Rourke, superintendent of schools.

Donner Trail Elementary

Phyllis Ziegenmeyer, 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades; William Carrico, principal, 4th, 5th, 6th grades.

Kings Beach Elementary

Marilyn Baker, kindergarten, 1st grade; Kay Wing, 2nd, 3rd grades; Henry Sams, principal, 4th, 5th, 6th grades.

Tahoe Lake Elementary

Louise Bark, kindergarten and 1st grade; Pat Butterfield, 2nd, 3rd grades; Janet Briggs, principal, 4th, 5th, 6th grades.

Truckee Elementary

Patricia Meddaugh, kindergarten; Pat O'Brien, 1st grade; Helen Trask, 2nd; Olia Tiffee, 3rd; Hugh Smith, 4th; Ruth Roberson, 5th; Lynn Kishbaugh, principal, 6th grade.

High School

George Bergen, principal; Thelma Finger, dean of girls, Core 9 and 12; Robert Appleton, music, photography, dramatics; George Boyle, industrial arts and mechanical drawing; James Brehler, physical education, general math; Robert Briggs, arts, crafts, annual; Gordon Butterfield, 7th grade core; Marilyn Daily, home economics, physical education; Norman Dewhurst, science and math; Arlene Dunn, 8th grade core; Ronald Eberhart, business machines, typing, bookkeeping, Core 11; Inez Mancuso, shorthand; Betty Lou Parker, Spanish, physical education, Core 10.

Library Staff

Jeannette Lawrence, librarian; Helen J. Bullis, librarian assistant; Collette J. O'Rourke, library clerk.

Health Staff

Barbara Barnes, public health nurse.

Central Office Staff

John J. McGlade, business manager; Margaret Madden, secretary to superintendent; Inez Mancuso, secretary to high school principal.

Bus Drivers

Harry Eaton, transportation supervisor; Bill Althof, Kings Beach to high school; Clinton Brines, Hobart Mills to Truckee; Carl Christiansen, Kings Beach to Tahoe City; Glen Parsons, Cisco to Donner Summit; Velda Parsons, Cisco to Donner Summit; George Turner, Tahoma via Tahoe City to Truckee; Erving Waters, Floriston to Truckee.

Custodians

Bill Althof, Truckee elementary; Elwood Buehler, Tahoe Truckee high school; Carl Christiansen, Kings Beach elementary; Glen Parsons, Donner Trail school; Jacob R. Stuart, custodian-engineer at the high school; George B. Tiffee, Tahoe Lake school.

Cooks

Emily Bengmens, high school; Muriel Frey, Truckee elementary; Jean F. Little, Kings Beach; Vera Petrocchi, Donner Trail; Mrs. John Rablin and Miriam Zwarg, substitute cooks. No cook has been assigned at Tahoe Lake school as yet.

Van Sickle Drives Samoyeds to Win

Lloyd Van Sickle drove the local team of samoyed dogs to first place in a race held by the San Mateo Dog Show on August 3, winning over two Los Angeles and two bay district teams of the same breed of animal.

Van Sickle was racing for Mrs. A. E. Mason of Sacramento, owner of the canines. An attractive trophy was presented by the eastern division of the samoyed clubs.

W.S.C.S to Sponsor Rummage and Pie Sale

The Women's Society of Christian Service announces a rummage sale and pie sale on Thursday, September 11, from 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the new basement of the Truckee Community Methodist Church. People wishing to donate articles for the rummage sale may call Truckee 308W and make arrangements to have the articles picked up.

Assessments Up, Taxes Down, To Be Local Trend

Due to increased assessments, property owners in this district can look forward to a decrease in the county tax rate during the coming year.

The tentative Nevada County rate has been set at $2.13 as compared to $2.60 last year, according to a report to Supervisor H. G. Loehr by County Clerk and Auditor R. E. Deeble, who has been studying the figures for presentation to the board at the August 20 meeting, when the rate will be established.

The rates applicable to this area have been tentatively set as follows: (Last year's rates are in parentheses).

Tahoe-Truckee Joint Unified School District

TRUCKEE: Portion of Truckee in sanitation district, $4.47 ($4.98). Portion in hospital district, $4.22 ($4.71). Portion in hospital and sanitation districts, $4.62 ($5.11). Portion in fire, hospital and sanitation districts, $4.93 ($5.51). Portion in fire and hospital districts, $4.53 ($5.11). Portion in fire and sanitation districts, $4.78 ($5.38). Portion in hospital and Donner Summit Public Utility districts, $4.72 ($5.21). Portion outside of all these districts, $4.07 ($4.58).

DONNER TRAILS: Portion in hospital district, $4.38 ($4.83). Portion in Donner Summit Public Utility District, $4.73 ($5.20). Portion in both these districts, $4.88 ($5.33). Portion outside these districts, $4.23 ($4.70).

FLORISTON: Portion in hospital district, $4.20 ($4.67). Portion outside hospital district, $4.05 ($4.54).

OIL COMPANY WILL BUILD STATION IN GATEWAY DISTRICT

Richard Joseph revealed this week that he has leased a 120 by 120 foot lot in the Gateway Park subdivision a block west of the hospital road along Highway 40 to the Richfield Oil Company.

C. P. McIntosh of Stockton, who handled the transaction for the oil company, told Joseph work will be started immediately on a new service station to be constructed of concrete blocks to house the modern establishment.

The station will make the only outlet in this immediate area for Richfield products.

The station, Joseph was advised, will be located some 20 feet from the highway right of way. The survey for the location has been completed and with work expected to be rushed, company officials hope to have the station operating this fall.

Joseph said the company has a 25-year lease on the ground and he has approved the plans and specifications for the structures.

WATER SKI MEET AT DONNER LAKE ON AUGUST 23-24

The third annual Open Water Ski Meet will be held at Donner Lake Lodge Saturday and Sunday, August 23 and 24, Hap Warnke, general chairman of the event and manager of the lodge, announced.

A full program of events, starting at 10 a.m. Saturday has been arranged.

There will be features for men, women and children, with events for veterans and beginners and a special exhibition of trick riding slated for 2:30 p.m. Saturday. Saturday will also feature the form and distance jumping events in all classes.

The Sunday program will start at 9:30 a.m. and continue throughout the day, ending with a barbecue at 5 p.m., at which time the winners will be presented with trophies.

Everyone is invited to attend and watch the thrilling events.

Bigelows Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Bigelow are visiting friends here from Leadville, Colorado.

Hostess to Travelers—

Mrs. J. H. Bernard had as her guests last week her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Davison, and their children who were returning to Livermore after a month's trip through Canada and a number of states.

William Campbell Dies Here; Rites Here Friday At 2

Deceased Was Life-Long Resident of This Community

Funeral services for William Campbell, 56, a native and lifelong resident of Truckee, will be held at the Truckee Colonial Mortuary chapel tomorrow, Friday, afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Truckee cemetery.

Campbell expired suddenly Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock on the steps of his home. An autopsy revealed a heart condition was responsible. The deceased had been in ill health for several days but his condition was not believed serious. His death came as a distinct shock to his many friends.

The deceased was born in Truckee July 27, 1896. Except for the time spent in the army during the first world war, he had made his home and for the past several years had worked for the Southern Pacific Company here.

Two sons, William and Robert, reside in Truckee and a daughter lives at Grass Valley. A half-brother, Lt. Col. Colin Campbell, is stationed in Texas. Another brother, Eddie, died last winter.

Campbell's wife, Mrs. Ruth Campbell, has been a patient at the Tahoe Forest Hospital for the past several days.

Campbell was a member of the American Legion and Truckee Aerie of Eagles.

Sympathy of the community is extended to the members of the family.

SEARCH MADE AS MAN'S CLOTHING FOUND BY LAKE

Officers this morning were attempting to determine the whereabouts of Joseph J. Pash, 30, Berkeley, whose clothing was found along the edge of Baltimore Lake, just west of Webber Lake, with an empty rubber boat floating nearby.

R. W. Emerson of Webber Lake told the California Highway Patrol a man's trousers, shirt and sox were found on the bank and a 1952 fishing license issued to Pash was found in the trousers.

Teletypes were sent to Berkeley in an effort to locate Pash and some fears were expressed for his safety.

SASSARINI FILES FOR REVERSAL IN DAMAGE ACTION

NEVADA CITY— Luke Sassarini of Truckee, denied $50,000 personal injury damages in the superior court here May 2, has filed an appeal with the third district court of appeals asking a reversal of the verdict.

The suit is against Ione and Gene Ilardi, formerly of Truckee, now residing in Sacramento.

Sassarini charges he was struck and knocked down by a car driven by Mrs. Ilardi as he was crossing a street in Truckee February 21, 1951. Both litigants change carelessness.

POSTAL OFFICIALS TO HOLD BAY MEET

A central accounting seminar for postmasters of northern California, Nevada, Oregon and Utah will be held at San Francisco on August 21 and 22 with Postmaster General Donaldson as principal speaker.

E. C. Bavier of Truckee, Oliver Corona of Tahoe City and Arthur Couillard of Soda Springs are three of the postmasters in this area who expect to attend the sessions.

List Hostesses For Wyethia Club Meet

Mesdames T. T. Buell, I. Firpo, John Rablin, Robert Edwards, R. P. Bick will be hostesses Friday, August 15, when members and guests will meet in the Wyethia Club at 8 p.m. Mrs. David Rose will preside at the business session and a moving picture on The Art of Keramos will be shown.

Sun Beams

by Walter M. Barrett

Speeding, overloaded trucks are doing more to damage highways throughout this area than other elements combined. It is true, overloading and fast driving are infrequent violations, but even the occasional violator is too much. The present highways were not designed to take the beating to which they are being subjected and unless something is done to curb the present selfish trend it will cost more to maintain the two lanes over the Sierra than to build a new road. Present laws do not offer sufficient discouragement and the lure of extra dollars gained from the overload often proves too much of a temptation for some of the haulers. Maybe a jail term, a suspension of hauling privileges or an equally just punishment might lead to better cooperation and in the end give the tax paying motorist a little better road for the money spent.

While on the subject of trucks, we might mention a fact which is becoming so commonplace that it no longer supplies more than an infrequent comment. That is the number of Nevada trucks carting logs out of California. These logs are from California forests, they are hauled over California highways—some times creating a terrific traffic hazard—and are designed for Nevada mills. The license plates on the trucks show them to be Nevada tax-paying vehicles, the drivers more often than not live in Nevada, the proceeds from their pay and the mill build Nevada homes and businesses and pay Nevada taxes. How does California gain?

MORE FIRES IN TRUCKEE REGION BLAMED ON MEN

The 14th and 15th fires on the Truckee district of the Tahoe National Forest were extinguished this week by the suppression crew under the direction of Nelson Stone, fire control assistant. Both were man-caused and one man, Joseph Moe, a junk dealer from Reno, was cited to appear in the justice court here. He was cited by Stone for allegedly causing a fire on Trout Creek by tossing a burning cigarette away.

The other fire Tuesday started along Highway 40 one mile east of here by a carelessly tossed burning cigarette.

About a quarter of an acre was burned over in each of the two fires. Nine of the fires this season were caused by lightning, six were man caused, Stone reported.

TB X-RAY UNIT WILL BE HERE ON AUGUST 22

Mrs. Lester Deckwa, president of the Truckee Parents and Teachers Association, today announced that the mobile chest x-ray unit, sponsored by the Nevada County Tuberculosis Association, will be at the fire station here between noon and 4 p.m. and 6 and 8 p.m. Friday, August 22.

The chest examinations are free and everyone is urged to avail themselves of this service which is made possible through annual contributions to the Christmas seal fund.

PASTOR VISITS AFTER 48 YEARS

Rev. Moore Gordon and family of Hamilton, Ontario, were visiting here with friends this week. Rev. Gordon was here 48 years ago and enjoyed a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Follett and others during their stay.

cattle ranch.

From Wyoming—

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pickhardt of Evanston, Wyo., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thomas. Mrs. Pickhardt is a sister of the Truckee jeweler.

Returns from South—

Mrs. Ermin Hintz returned last week from Tennessee where she had been for the past month, after receiving word her son was killed in an electrical industrial accident.

All Records For Highway Travel Broken In Area

August Promises To Be Even Greater Than July

More vehicles passed through the state department of agriculture's quarantine station at Truckee during July than in any other month on record.

Orval Vaughn, in charge of the Truckee station, said the first two weeks of August indicate this month will surpass July.

The department's monthly report showed 64,563 vehicles, including 60,636 cars, 3,127 trucks and 800 stages with a passenger total of 174,212, were checked by the inspectors at the local station during July. Truckee was exceeded only by Yermo among the 18 reporting stations.

Last year the July total here was more than 7,000 less than the current figure.

Added to the local total can be 3,103 cars checked at the Brockway station, currently on the south outskirts of Truckee funneling traffic over Highway 40. This would bring the number of cars traveling westward over the Donner route — exempting vacationists and local travelers — to nearly 70,000.

It can be estimated than an equal number of vehicles — not checked at the stations — are traveling eastward, while local cars and vacationists in the region easily swell the number to an additional 70,000 a month.

On Highway 50

The Meyers station on Highway 50 reported 18,878 cars, 183 commercial vehicles and 116 stages with 54,728 passengers, or slightly more than a quarter of the travel over Highway 40.

TWO ARE FINED AS DRUNKS IN TRUCKEE COURT

Two drivers, accused of operating vehicles while under the influence of intoxicants, appeared this week before Judge F. W. Wilson.

Mrs. Edna R. Summers, 36, St. Louis, Missouri, paid a $200 fine Monday and William George Morehouse, Truckee, was given an alternative of paying $250 or spending 125 days in jail.

Both were arrested by officers of the California Highway Patrol during the weekend.

STAGE IS SET FOR BAZAAR, BUFFET BY CATHOLICS

The stage is all set for the annual Catholic Parish Bazaar and Buffet to be held Friday, August 15, beginning at 2 p.m. at The Pines in Kings Beach.

Father Ronan Brennan, who is heading the committees, said the affair will be featured by a buffet at 6 p.m.

Booths will feature home cooked foods, fancy work, meats and numerous other items.

The affair promises to provide fun for every member of the family and everyone is invited to attend. The admission fee of $1 will go toward the Catholic building fund.

HISLIP RITES TO BE HELD HERE; DIED AT HOSPITAL

N. F. Dolley of the Truckee Colonial Mortuary left at noon today to bring the body of James Hislip, long time Truckee resident, here for last rites. Hislip passed away this morning at a Nevada City hospital, where he had been a patient for the past two weeks.

Last rites will be held at the local funeral home Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Returning from Korea—

Mrs. Jack Tuohey is leaving for Walnut Creek this week to join her daughter, the family planning to go to San Diego where they will meet the latter's husband who is returning from fighting in Korea.

More Catchable Trout Planted In Local River

Game Warden Tom Borneman reported yesterday that an additional 3,000 catchable rainbow trout were planted in the Truckee River during the past week.

The trout, ranging is size from sevent to 10 inches in length, were obtained from the Mt. Shasta hatchery. Members of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen, headed by Johnny Ciardella, assisted with the planting last Friday and employees of the forest service lent assistance Tuesday.

Another plant will be made on Friday, Borneman said, and this will wind up the program for the season, although a large number of fry will be planted immediately throughout the area between now and early fall.

Ciardella and his club currently are behind a plan to have a rearing pond installed at Tahoe to provide catchable trout in all local and nearby streams and lakes.

As a result of the recent plants, fishermen report better fishing along the Truckee River and its tributaries than for many years and a number of limits are being reported almost daily.

PRE-SCHOOL WORK SHOP TO BE HELD IN AREA MONDAY

The fourth annual pre-school workshop for the teachers and administrators of the schools of the Tahoe Truckee Unified School District will be held at the Tahoe Truckee High School from Monday, August 18, through Wednesday, August 27.

Two and one-half days, from Monday, August 25, until noon of Wednesday, August 27, have been scheduled for discussion, evaluation and laboratory session on arithmetic in the elementary and the high school. Miss Marie Coburn, consultant in elementary education, Oakland public schools, will be the consultant for this session. Miss Coburn has been directing the development of the arithmetic program in the Oakland public schools for several years and has accomplished some excellent results.

Other visiting consultants beside Miss Coburn are Frank Lindsay, assistant chief, division of instruction, state department of education, who will discuss the modern secondary school program with the high school staff; Miss Genevie Dexter, consultant in physical education with the state department of education, who will direct a physical education session with the elementary and secondary school teachers;

Frank Burke, assistant superintendent in charge of curriculum, Placer County schools, who will conduct a seminar with the high school staff on co-operative planning in school, community and county; Mrs. Alton Wagner, supervisor of instruction, Placer County schools, who will meet with the staffs of the elementary schools to discuss planning and operating a modern elementary school program;

Robert Briggs, instructor at Tahoe Truckee high school, who will conduct a laboratory session in arts and crafts with the elementary school staffs.

Parents and others interested are invited to attend the school workshop sessions.

Local 20-30 Clubsters To Visit Carson City

At their meeting last night, members of the local 20-30 Club decided to pay a visit to the Carson City club next Wednesday. Members will rendezvous at Cliff Ellis' service station between 6:00 and 6:30 p.m. to make the trip.

While no report was made on the weekend club fishing trip to the back country, a canvass of those going indicated a good time was had by all and the fishing was excellent.

Home Sold—

Mr. and Mrs. George (Bud) Zorich of Soda Springs recently purchased the Dr. Henry Garland dwelling on Donner Summit and will make their home there. They are currently busy making repair on the large structure.

Fourth Death In Ten Days Result Of Car Crashes

Many Are Hurt During Past Week On Highways

Death continues to ride the highways in this area and efforts are being continued today to identify the fourth auto crash fatality in ten days.

The unidentified man, about 40 or 45 years of age, was believed instantly killed at 4:30 Monday morning when a car, stolen a short time previously from the William Ward Company at Reno, was demolished one mile west of Soda Springs.

A second man in the vehicle, Frank B. Blaylock, 32, San Jose, said he was a hitchhiker and had been picked up by the driver near Reno. Blaylock was hospitalized at the Tahoe Forest Hospital for minor injuries.

State Patrolman William Gautsche and Constable N. F. Dolley are attempting to identify the victim from fingerprints submitted to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Gautsche said the car was apparently traveling at a high rate of speed when it left the pavement, careened back and overturned to roll 257 feet down the highway.

Family Hurt

An Oroville matron and four small children were hurt, two critically, when a car driven by Mrs. Bettie Frances Sherman, 30, was forced into the side of a fruit truck driven by Laverne W. Perkins, 27, Council Bluffs, Iowa, at 6:30 Saturday evening one mile west of Kingvale.

Sergeant Frank Smith and Patrolman Carroll Maynard said Mrs. Sherman and her two children, Carla, 3, and Robin, 8, and her two nieces, Sally Schumacher, 8, and Susan Schumacher, 6, were traveling west after a camping trip. The truck was traveling east with a car driven by Robert Garcia, 26, Sebastapol, following.

Suddenly, witnesses told the patrolmen, Garcia turned out to pass other cars and the truck and met the Sherman car. Mrs. Sherman, in an effort to avoid a head-on collision, pulled too close to the truck and was hit by the trailer, demolishing her car and injuring Mrs. Sherman and the children. Susan has a serious skull fracture and is in a Reno hospital. The others are being treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital in Truckee.

Maynard said he was awaiting the outcome of the injuries before making a citation recommendation against Garcia.

The injured were taken to the hospitals by Truckee ambulance.

Lake Couple Hurt

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coombs of Kings Beach were hurt Tuesday evening when a car driven by their daughter, Janet, got out of control and hit a tree near their home. Both Mr. and Mrs. Coombs were taken to the Tahoe Forest Hospital with broken ankles. Janet was not injured.

Sergeant Smith said a front brake apparently locked when the driver attempted to stop the car.

Car Overturns

Charles Fisher, 65, San Francisco, suffered head and chest injuries when his car left the highway three miles east of Cisco Mon-

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Accused of Larceny, Is Held to Answer

Edward J. Maderos, 29, was held to answer before the superior court of Placer County on a grand theft charge, following a preliminary hearing before Judge Charles Crowe at Alta. He is accused of having taken $929.94 from the safe at Rainbow Tavern July 16.

EASTERNER DIES AT LOCAL HOTEL

Paul F. Nydegger, 77, Westfield, N. J., expired at a local hotel Saturday night following a heart attack. The body of the man was taken to East Lawn in Sacramento by the Truckee Colonial Mortuary for cremation.

A son, Rolland, flew from the east to make arrangements for the last rites. A daughter also survives. Nydegger was traveling alone when stricken.

OVERLIMIT COSTS ANGLER FINE HERE

An overlimit of fish caught on August 9 drew a fine of $25 from Sil J. Ferrari of Sacramento, janitorial contractor, when he appeared August 11 before Judge F. W. Wilson of Truckee.

Tom Borneman, fish and game warden, made the arrest near Truckee.

SUMMIT SCENE

by FRAN COUILLARD

This past mid-week night was a joyous occasion for the business people of the mountain when the regular meeting of the Donner U.S. 40 Chamber was held at Soda Springs Hotel with Brant Chaplin presiding. Dissatisfaction with past organizations of this area's promotional efforts seems to have drifted away with a solidified front determined to make a workable plan in the present chamber setup. Many current and future problems were discussed with Chaplin setting up various committees for the purpose of fulfilling objectives. The publishing of a brochure to take the place of the one issued a few years ago, Donner Skiland, was discussed. Glenn Parsons announced the planting of 10,000 catchable trout in the Yuba between Cisco and the Lake Van Norden Dam, said planting to take place on three different dates. The announcement of the first planting (last Friday) brought hundreds of fishermen into the area, with many of them contributing their time to the state fish and game employees who were in the area for planting purposes. The next meeting for board members only is to be held August 20 with a general meeting set for September 3.

Donner Summit Lodge lends a busy front to Forty Travelers as it entertains 60 members of the audio-visual educators of California. All counties of the state were represented at this convention which meets annually at the lodge. The fish plant, mentioned above, began at the river's curve in back of this lodge where members of the convention gathered in the early hours of the morning to watch the speckeled beauties being dumped into the Yuba. Donner Summit Lodge was also the scene of the Audubon Society's farewell banquet to its staff members last Friday evening.

Each glade and shady spot has its picnic parties, whilst the public campgrounds are overflowing with trailer and tent. Lake Van Norden has become the nucleus for a small city of campers at this writing.

A new neighbor is Mary McGovern from Petaluma. Mrs. McGovern has just purchased the Reiger Soda Springs cabin and this past weekend saw Mrs. McGovern with daughter Barbara moving into their new domain. Soda Springs isn't a new territory for our new neighbors for they have been both summer and winter frequentees in the past and take to the area like homing pigeons.

The new Mercury Ski Club No. 2 begins to take shape after No. 1 laid itself on the ground this past winter and gave in to snow weight. Each weekend finds members of this San Jose club working like mad to finish their new club before another winter sets in.

A nice, neighborly gesture was indulged in this past week when Glenn Parsons and Kirby Schull organized a wood cutting bee for Edy Aro. Edy, who arm is still in a sling from an accident a couple of years ago, despaired of getting in his winter's wood. Chain saws, gasoline and even grease for the job was donated. Edy wishes to thank Max Williamson, Glenn and Kirby, the Cramptons, Tom Vincencio, Lonny Goss and the others who participated in the event which will keep he and his family cozy this winter.

Good friend Bernece Batterton dropped in for a chat last week end. Bernece, a member of the Republican state central committee which met in Sacramento, fled the valley heat for a few hours to drive up the mountain and tell her old friends "hello."

Kingvale Park subdivision has a full tract with the Yuba City Harters and Cooks, the Roseville Nagles, the Sacramento Dunshees, the Del Paso Lyons, the Berkeley Lohse and Hessions, the San Francisco Cunninghams, the Lincoln Browns. The place, buried under last winter's snow drifts and taking a greater beating than any other area in this district from snow weight looks sprightly and cheerful with all shutters removed from windows, with paint brushes flying and debris being quickly cleared away. The Nagle home is in the process of being rebuilt. Haven't heard what the Sacramento Tamarack Club, built last fall and never occupied, plans to do with its ground which has been cleared of the pitiful remains of their building. Noted that a new bridge has been thrown across the Yuba so that west river Kinvalites can reach their several domains.

We wonder if we can afford to close our business next Sunday to accept an invitation to the opening of Foulks Lake at the Cedars. This man-made lake started by the Foulks family last year is reputed to be a little beauty. By the bundle of invitations mailed by Mary Foulks Mauger this past week, we look for a large crowd at this unique dedication. "Come early," "wear your outing clothes," "bring your swim suit" are some of the musts on the invitations.

The Palisades folks finally manage to make a late entrance into their little bit of heaven too. Dr. and Mrs. MacKay, Mrs. J. Francis and daughter are some of those who bask in the loveliness of the Palisade cliffs this time of year.

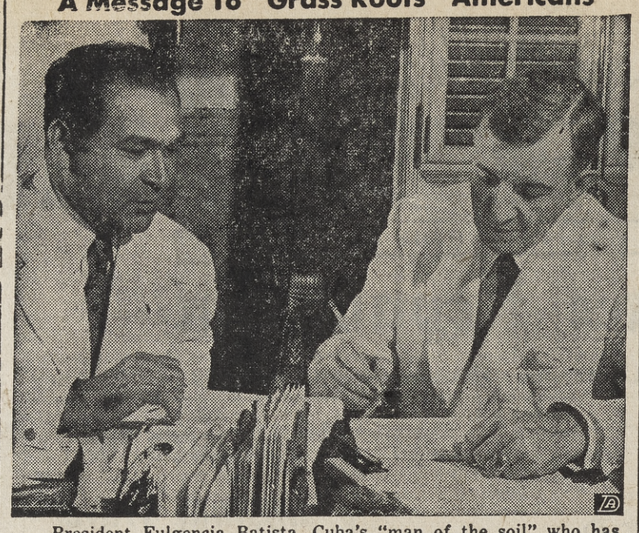
Lots of activity at Sugar Bowl tells the story of the new double chair lift that is about to be installed. Many locals are employed on this huge project.

Several years ago on a motor trip through the middle west we were startled by small white crosses on the highway right of way. Inquiry divulged that these crosses were placed where human lives had been lost through traffic accidents. Various advertising slogans could aptly be applied to the loss of life that is occuring in our area of Highway Forty during the past ten days. "One A Day" could almost be one of them. A pitiable sight, a horrible display, a terrible warning can be gleaned from a trip to Rowton's Soda Springs service station. At the present time the wreckage which is piled in around this business place can be identifeid as former automobiles. Twisted, contorted, writhed, gnarled and distorted, some were warped caskets of death. No one knows the asnwer. Safe driving campaigns haven't worked. "If you want to get there in time, start earlier" slogans have been disregarded. If it is four-laning we need to get traffic around the slow moving trucks that creep over our highways, then let's have it. If it's zoning on dangerous stretches, then let's have that. The waste of life and vehicle on this stretch of Highway Forty that has occured during the past two weeks is having the effect of a quarantine sign in this area. At a small organization meeting in Sacramento a few weeks ago, I invited the group to visit me at Soda Springs. The answer was a horrified "No!" People with families "wouldn't take the risk." The clanging of the ambulance, the shriek of the siren put to shame the noise of the diesel engine and the truck. What can we do?

Reluctant mothers and fathers brought in recruits to Camp Yal-Sunday when Girlahatsi) lastlnasP lani, also known as Pahatsi, last Sunday when Girl Scouts took over this beautiful site near Cascade Lake in the Sierra. A few didn't stay as their tears started to flow at the thought of being away from dad and mamma for the first time in their young lives. By now, the session is underway and the tears are dried, as camp life goes on and interesting routine is established.

And, lest you forget, the dead line for registration for voters is September 11 for the general election this fall. Don't forget to register! We'll take care of it for you in the Soda Springs area.

A Message To "Grass Roots" Americans



President Fulgencia Batista, Cuba's "man of the soil" who has pledged his regime to sweeping advances for the farmers, workers and industries of his country dictates an invitation to the people of "the grass roots of the United States" to visit "our beautiful island and while you enjoy our vacation wonders, see for yourselves what we are doing now for the betterment of Cuba and the Cuban people."

Batista, in his first message to "the people of our great neighbor to the North," directs his secretary, Dr. Andres Domingo y Morales del Castillo, to express his promise of "our most heartfelt hospitality."

"I know," explained President Batista, "if the friendly people of the United States come to Cuba they will get first hand knowledge of what the present Administration is accomplishing for our people. There are close ties between our two nations and Cuba is pledged to fight Communism on the Western Hemisphere and has dedicated all its forces and resources to mutual security."

Sly Park Unit of CVA To Begin by Dec. 1

SACRAMENTO— Construction is scheduled to begin by December 1 on the $7,000,000 Sly Park unit of the Central Valley Authority, the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation announced here this week.

Congress allocated $1,250,000 during the last session to complete designs and begin construction of the project, scheduled to starat delivering water in 1956. It is estimated the 20,000 acre feet of water the new dam will supply will irrigate more than 4,000 acres of land now dry farmed and create a supplemental irrigation supply for about 31,000 acres not now used for agriculture.

Copper is the only metal with a reddish color.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District, Placer and Nevada Counties, State of California, will receive up to, but not later than 8:00 p.m. on Friday, August 29, 1952, sealed bids for the award of a contract or contracts for, (1) furnishing materials and installing a sprinkling system, subgrading, top soiling, lawn installation, and field seeding; (2) Well drilling, casing, pipe and pump installation. Bids shall be opened and publicly read aloud at the above stated time and place.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 of the Labor Code, and the local laws thereto applicable, the owner has ascertained the general prevailing wages in the locality in which this work is to be performed, a copy of which rates are as follows:

Craft	Hourly Wage Rate	Per Diem Rate	Legal Holidays and Overtime
Carpenters, Lake Tahoe area	2.64	21.12	*
Laborers - General	1.70	13.60	**
Power Grader, Power Planer, Motor Patrol or any type of Power Blade	2.68	21.44	***
Tractors	2.52	20.16	***
Plumbers	2.75	22.00	5.50

* For the first four hours after the regular work day, overtime shall be paid for at the rate of time and one-half. All additional time worked up to 8:00 A.M. and on Saturday, Sunday or holidays shall be paid for at the rate of double time.

** First four hours after eight hours of work Monday through Friday and eight hours on Saturday shall be paid for at the rate of time and one-half. All additional overtime worked on any said day by any employee shall be paid for at the rate of double time. Sundays and holidays, double time.

*** Time and one-half for all overtime except Sundays and holidays, which is double the straight time rate.

OVERTIME: Saturdays, Sundays and holidays - double time unless otherwise shown.

Each bid must conform to the requirements of the Plans and Specifications and all other documents comprising the Contract Documents. The Contract Documents may be examined and copies obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Truckee, California.

No bid will be considered unless it is made on a form provided by the Superintendent of Schools and accompanied by certified check, cashier's check or bidder's bond for 10% of the amount of the bid, made payable to the Owner. The above mentioned checks or bid bond shall be given as guarantee that the bidder shall execute the contract if it be awarded to him in conformity with the Contract Documents and shall provide the surety bond or bonds required within 5 days after notification of the award of the contract to the bidders.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a labor and material bond in an amount equal to fifty percent (50%) of the contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price. Said bonds shall be secured from a surety company satisfactory to the Owner.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids, in part or in total, and-or waive any irregularities or informalities in the bidding.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1952.

V. C. SHATTUCK

Clerk of the Governing Board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District, Counties of Placer & Nevada, California.

Address of the Clerk: Truckee, California. ag14-21-28

Bechdolt Guests—

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Phelps of North Hollywood were guests for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bechdolt Sr. in Tahoe City. Other recent visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grebrau of Santa Rosa and Mr. and Mrs. Wendel LaBelle of Panorama City and three children, John, Tom and Mary.

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NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING ON COUNTY BUDGET

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, will meet on Wednesday, August 20th, 1952, at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M. in the Chambers of said Board in the Court House for the purpose of considering the final budget of the County for the fiscal year 1952-53. A copy of the proposed final budget is available in the office of the County Auditor and may be seen by any person desiring to review it.

Any person desiring to appear before said Board of Supervisors for or against any of the allotments as set forth in said budget is invited to attend said meeting on the above date and discuss the same before final approval is ordered, which said final approval must be given according to law on or before the 31st day of August, 1952.

R. E. DEEBLE

County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Published in Sierra Sun: August 14, 1952.

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Weather Warm and Balmy At Tahoe City

TAHOE CITY— The weather at Tahoe City remained warm and balmy for the first full week of August, with the temperature range from 80 to 37 for the week August 4-11, acording to Arthur E. Frodenberg, the official observer. Daily high and low mercury readings were Aug. 4th: 78, 46; 5th: 80, 45; 6th: 79, 49; 7th: 78, 45; 8th: 76, 42; 9th: 75, 45; 10th: 75, 37; 11th: low, 42.

The lake level reading Monday morning was 6228.75.

Up from Auburn—

Guests at the Norman Mayfields' in Tahoe City last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Smith and children from Auburn.

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Leading Boat Racers Due to Compete at Lake Sunday

TAHOE CITY— Excitement is running high at Lake Tahoe since the report arrived Monday that Moreland Visel of Los Angeles, owner of the famous speedboat, Hurricane IV, the only big time racer to own, design and drive his own boat, will be on hand for the Sixth Annual Lake Tahoe Coast Guard Regatta to be staged Sunday, August 17, by Tahoe Flotilla 35, whose commander is Fred Main of Tahoe City. Events will start at 9:40 a.m. at the new yacht club harbor at Carnelian Bay, where plenty of parking and spectator room is available.

Mr. and Mrs. Visel are guests at the R. Stanley Dollar Jr. estate near Dollar Hill and will remain until the day of the races. His famous racer is being brought to the lake by way of Idaho as its width made passage over west coast highways forbidden. Main declares that it is officially confirmed that the Hurricane IV has twice reached a speed of 177 miles per hour in the Los Angeles area. With Dollar piloting his Gold Cup winning Slo-Mo-Shun IV in competition with the Hurrican IV, spectators will be given a thrill rarely equalled. He gave Dollar a run for his money in Seattle last Saturday and is expected to do it again Sunday.

The racing program runs as follows: All boats stock displacement hulls and stock engines: 1st race, 115 HP and under; 2nd race, 130 HP and under; 3rd race, 165 HP and under; 4th race, 325 HP and under; 5th race, the championship free-for-all open to all entries; 6th race, a special hot rod event, open to all types of "souped-up" engines; 7th race, ladies championship, open to 200 HP and under; 8th race (tentative), water skiing race. An innovation this year will be water skiing exhibitions after each race by experts from Stockton, Sacramento and local experts.

A feature of the day will be a special event by five-year-old Ni Orsi of Sacramento who will do the "flying saucer" towed behind a speeding boat. This is something new and consists of keeping a 36 inch board, cut in the center, spinning in pinwheel fashion, without harness of any kind. This youngster has become famous for his unusual accomplishments on water skis, having started when a wee little boy, and his newest stunts should prove highly entertaining.

Henry J. Kaiser will enter some of his speedsters but is not announcing their identities in advance. Stan Dollar's Short Snort, powered with a 1600 HP Allison engine, winner of the Lake Tahoe championship race of the Tahoe Yacht Club Regatta earlier this season, will also be seen in action. Other entries will include Beckett's 225 HP hydroplane Just For Fun and Carl Bradley's hydroplane.

The entire regatta will be broadcast over radio station KOH from Reno. Main says a barge will be anchored near the pier of the harbor and judges and officials will be put aboard. The announcing system will also be on the barge, with Commander Main official broadcaster.

Prizes are being donated this year by wholesale marine supply houses of the coast, with the Lake Tahoe Sierra Chamber of Commerce providing the trophy for the ihampionship event.

Arriving Friday are Commander Greenlee, Lt. Cmdr. Hettrich, Capt. Perkins, chief of staff 12th Naval District, and Commodore LaRocho, all of San Francisco, and Captain Brook of the 3rd Coast Guard Auxiliary, Stockton.

WOMEN'S CLUB WILL STAGE PICNIC, FOOD SALE IN WEEK

TAHOE CITY— The Women's Club of Tahoe is holding a pot-luck luncheon on the shores of the Tahoe Commons in Tahoe City at 1 p.m. August 21. Members are invited to bring along prospective new members. Anyone wishing to attend should contact Mrs. Jeannette Mitchell at Tahoe City 316R or Mrs. Louise Geier at Tahoe City 66M to learn what they should bring to add to the menu. The lunch will spread under the pines on the picnic tables, provided by the club members some years ago.

At the meeting held in Community hall August 7, Mrs. Blanche Donaldson, president, tendered her resignation, effective immediately, citing the press of personal business as the reason. The members voted to have Mrs. Mitchell fill out the unexpired term and she is carrying on for the present.

A letter was read from the Veterans' Hospital in Reno thanking the ladies for the hospitality extended ten of the patients of the hospital, who were guests of the club at Tahoe several weeks ago. They were most appreciative.

The Women's Club of Tahoe will sponsor a food sale in the Tahoe Community Center Saturday, August 23, starting at 1 p.m. Many delicacies will be offered for sale, including cookies, cakes, pies, candies and casseroles.

L. L. NOONCHESTER PASSES AWAY IN RENO MONDAY

RENO— London Lee Noonchester, Reno resident and Lake Tahoe mining man, died at a local hospital early Monday morning.

A native of Cleveland, Va., he wa sborn January 26, 1884. He was a retired fur merchant and mining man. He had retired from the fur business some three years ago when he went to Reno to make his home. He was the owner of the Lake Tahoe Gold Mining Co. near the lake.

He is survived by his widow, a daughter and a son, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Reno Wednesday, with Rev. James Asa White officiating. The remains will be inurned at the East Lawn Crematory in Sacramento.

Wedding Solemnized At Tahoe Outdoor Chapel

TAHOE CITY— Bishop Noel Porter of the Outdoor Chapel of the Pines, near Tahoe Tavern, on Sunday officiated at a simple but impressive wedding which united Marjorie Katherine Skronsky of San Francisco and Donald Laverne Duffy of Eureka. Only witnesses were the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Duffy of San Rafael. The bride wore a white traveling suit and accessories and wore an orchid corsage.

Chapel Soloist—

Special soloist at the Outdoor Chapel at Tahoe City last Sunday was Marsden Argyll, noted East Bay tenor, who was accompanied on the organ by Myron Roberts of the University of Nebraska.

Watson Guests—

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins and son, Timothy, of San Anselmo are visiting with her parents, the Robert Watsons, near Lake Forest.

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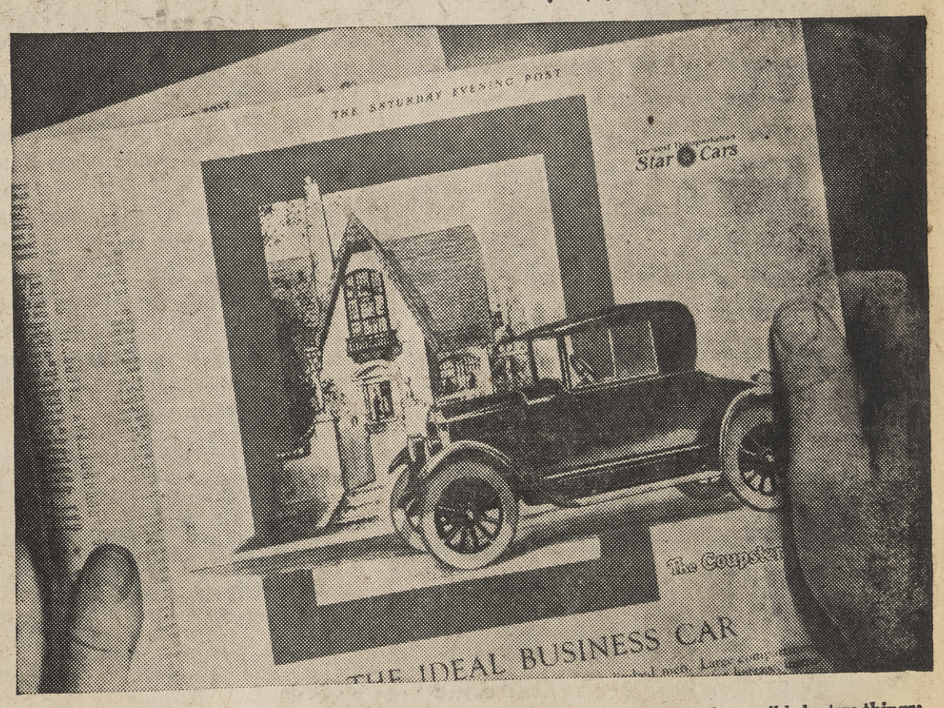

Remember the prices? Things were a lot cheaper than they are now when almost everything you buy is 'way up in price . . . except gasoline. ¶ Actually, gasoline costs almost exactly the same today—aside from taxes—as it did when the beauty above was an exciting new automobile. ¶ And it's far better gasoline, too. Two gallons today do the work that required three in 1925. ¶ Few industries can match this record of keeping prices down and raising quality. It was made possible by two things: intense competition among oil companies and a steadily increasing efficiency of production. ¶ In the last five years alone, Standard Oil Company of California has put more than $644,000,000 into facilities—and another $35,000,000 into technical service and research. This investment helps us make certain that gasoline continues to be one of the best buys in your family budget.

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DeBusk was born at the Lost Emigrant Mine near Soda Springs. He left for Korea in November, 1951, after training at Fort Ord.

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Liquor Control Officars Are Sought by State

California will select a number of liquor control officers through a civil service examination October 4, the State Personnel Board announces. Applications must be in by September 13.

Liquor control officers work under the State Board of Equalization and jobs exist throughout the state. Salary starts at $310 and rises in annual steps to $376.

Only requirements for entering the examination are a high school education, American citizenship and one year's residence in California.

Experience in work involving public contacts may be submitted in lieu of education on a year-for-year basis.

Applicants were cautioned that the work may involve long and unusual hours and that officers are transferred from time to time.

Applications are available from the State Personnel Board at Sacramento, San Francisco and Los Angeles and at Department of Employment offices.

Coffee Roasters

About 1,000 firms in the United States roast coffee.

Loot from Reno Car Theft Found Near Summit

Some of the property stolen from an automobile in Reno July 31 was recovered west of Donner Summit not long ago, Reno police have been notified.

Victim was Florence J. Woods of Sacramento, who sedan was stolen from Reno, stripped of its contents and then abandoned outside the city.

August 3, California highway patrolmen found two suitcases, some clothing, books and papers strewn along U. S. Highway 40 between Cisco and Soda Springs. This was identified as part of the Woods loot.

Still missing is a large quantity of clothing, jewelry and other personal possessions.

State Asking for Bids On Nevada County Road

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)— The state division of highways has been authorized to advertise for bids for widening 1.2 miles of Sign Route 20 in Nevada County between 2.1 miles west and .6 mile east of Rough and Ready. This is a unit of a project for which $150,000 has been budgeted.

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San Franisco Preparing for Columbus Day

SAN FRANCISCO— Some 400 of California's outstanding parade groups this week received Columbus Day Parade entry forms, George R. Reilly, parade chairman, says. The annual event will start at 1:30 p.m. October 12 from the Civic Center here and go by Market, Kearny, Stockton and Filbert Streets to SS. Peter and Paul Church where the official reviewing stand will be erected.

Amador County Fair Is "All Western"

JACKSON— Amadorans will stage an all-western show in the arena at Plymouth on the opening ninght of the 11th annual Amador County Fair, George Winkler, fair manager, said this week. The fair will be held August 22-24 inclusive.

Local cowgirls and cowboys will stage the event which is limited to Amador County residents. Musical chairs, package race, bareback pushs off, stake race, calf and steer riding and other events are scheduled. In addition, there will be horse shows Saturday night and Sunday afternoon. For the first time in history of the fair stock horse classes will be judged working cattle.

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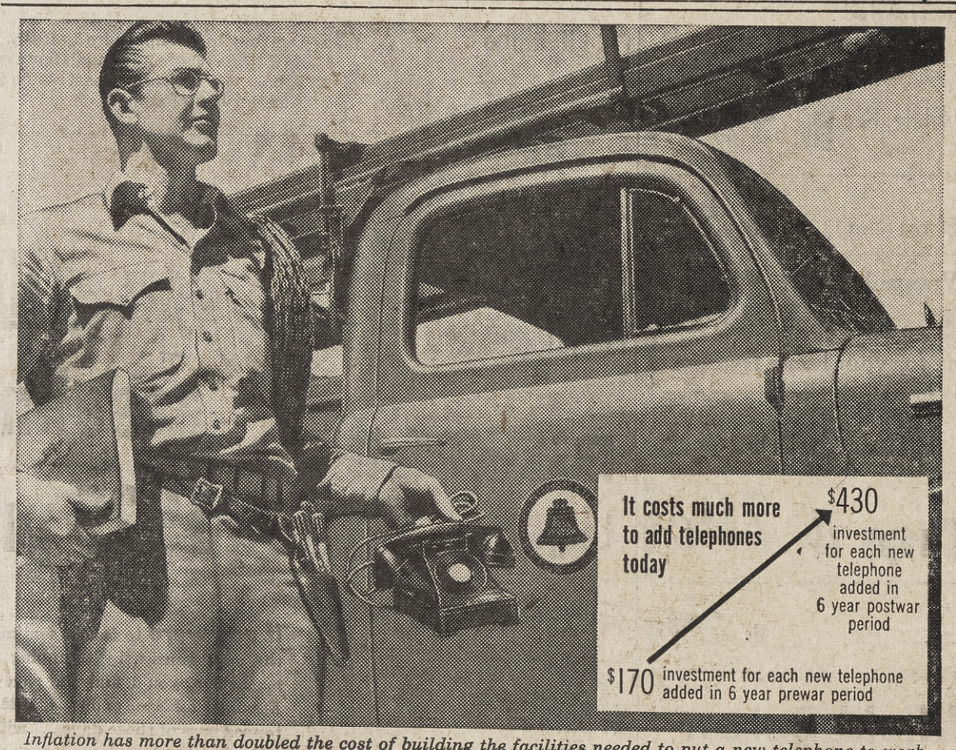
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HANNAH STEWART, Secretary

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION, TAHOE FOREST HOSPITAL DISTRICT

Pursuant to an order made unanimously by the Board of Directors of the Tahoe Forest Hospital District, the hereinafter mentioned election be held.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the biennial hospital district general election shall be held in the Tahoe Forest Hospital District on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 1952, for the purpose of electing two directors for said district. The following offices are to be filled at said election:

TWO DIRECTORS AT LARGE.

Candidates for the offices set forth above may secure nomination papers from the Clerk of said District, which nomination papers must be filed with the Clerk of said District not later than the 31st day of August, 1952.

Dated: July 29, 1952.

CHAS. R. HELLER, President of the Board of Directors of the Tahoe Forest Hospital District.

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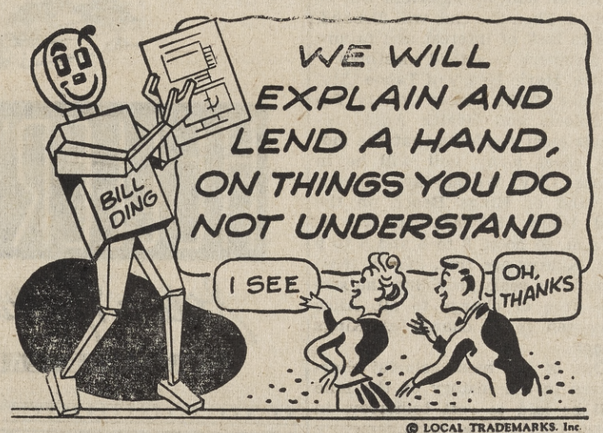

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TAHOE MIGHT HOST HARMSWORTH TROPHY CONTESTS

The possibility of bringing the International Harmsworth Trophy boat races to Lake Tahoe, through the efforts of R. Stanley Dollar Jr., former commodore of the Lake Tahoe Yacht Club, was mentioned authoritatively this week. This event would attract thousands to the area.

Last weekend Dollar's entry, Slo-Mo-Shun IV, fastest boat in the world, won the 45th running of the Gold Cup Race at Seattle.

Dollar, who family runs steamships, roared the sleek mahogany hydroplane around the three-mile course at Lake Washington at an average speed of 84.35 mph. in the third and final 30-mile heat to best Hurricane IV of Los Angeles which lost its propellor going into the fourth lap. Out of six entries, only Slo-Mo IV lasted the distance but even she didn't complete the first heat without mishap.

The defending champion, Slo-Mo-Shun V, sister ship of the winner, went out of the race in the first heat when she blew a cylinder and cracked her engine head. Slo-Mo IV is a repeat winner of the trophy, having come away from the Detroit River in 1950 with the award. It was the first time Dollar had driven the boat in competition.

It was doubtful at the end of the first heat that Slo-Mo IV would be a contender. After four laps, she lost her prop but mechanics swarmed over her and replaced the lost screw with that off the Slo-Mo V. The winning boat was powered by a 2,000 horsepower Allison engine.

An estimated crowd of 300,000 sweated in the hot sun to watch the events. The water was calm and ideal for the classic. Bill Stead, Reno and Tahoe yachtsman, and Fred Main, Tahoe City boatman, were scheduled to be among the spectators.

Mr. and Mrs. Ursola Gomez of Norden became the parents of a daughter born July 28 in a Reno hospital.

ANCIENT AUTOS TO AGAIN TOUR TRUCKEE, TAHOE

After a layoff of one year the horseless carriages will visit this region again in September. The Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada will be hosts to members of the horseless carriage clubs from several California communities. The tour is planned for September 5, 6 and 7.

Jerry Monaghan, Reno businessman, has been named as general chairman of the tour.

The proud owners of antique autos will gather in Reno for a get-together and park their cars in the downtown business district on Friday evening.

A get-acquainted breakfast will be held early Saturday morning and then the participants will parade in Reno and head toward Lake Tahoe via Highway 40 and Truckee. After luncheon in Tahoe City, the group will proceed on around the lake via Emerald Bay and stay overnight at Stateline.

Sunday the group will journey to Carson City for lunch, then on up to Virginia City for a stop over of a couple of hours. On back to Reno via Geiger Grade, to wind the tour Sunday evening at a final banquet, where awarding of trophies will be made.

Regulations Permit Sale Of Deer Hides

Aside from the many intangible benefits of deer hunting and the prize of about 100 pounds of edible venison, successful California deer hunters this year will be able to pick up a few dollars from the sale of deer hides, the department of fish and game advises.

A new legislative law, effective September 23, 1951, permits hunters to sell their deer hides ten days after the close of the last hunting season — or October 29, this year.

Except during World War I the sale of hides has been banne since 1893. The 59-year-old re striction was adopted to stop th slaughter of deer by commercial hide hunters.

Hunters are advised to take a minimum of two pounds of table salt on the hunt and to rub it well into the fleshed side of the deer skin. The hide should drain overnight and should be kept in a cool place. It can later be rolled up for transportation. A commercial or home freezer is a good place to keep the treated hide for the 10-day post-season period.

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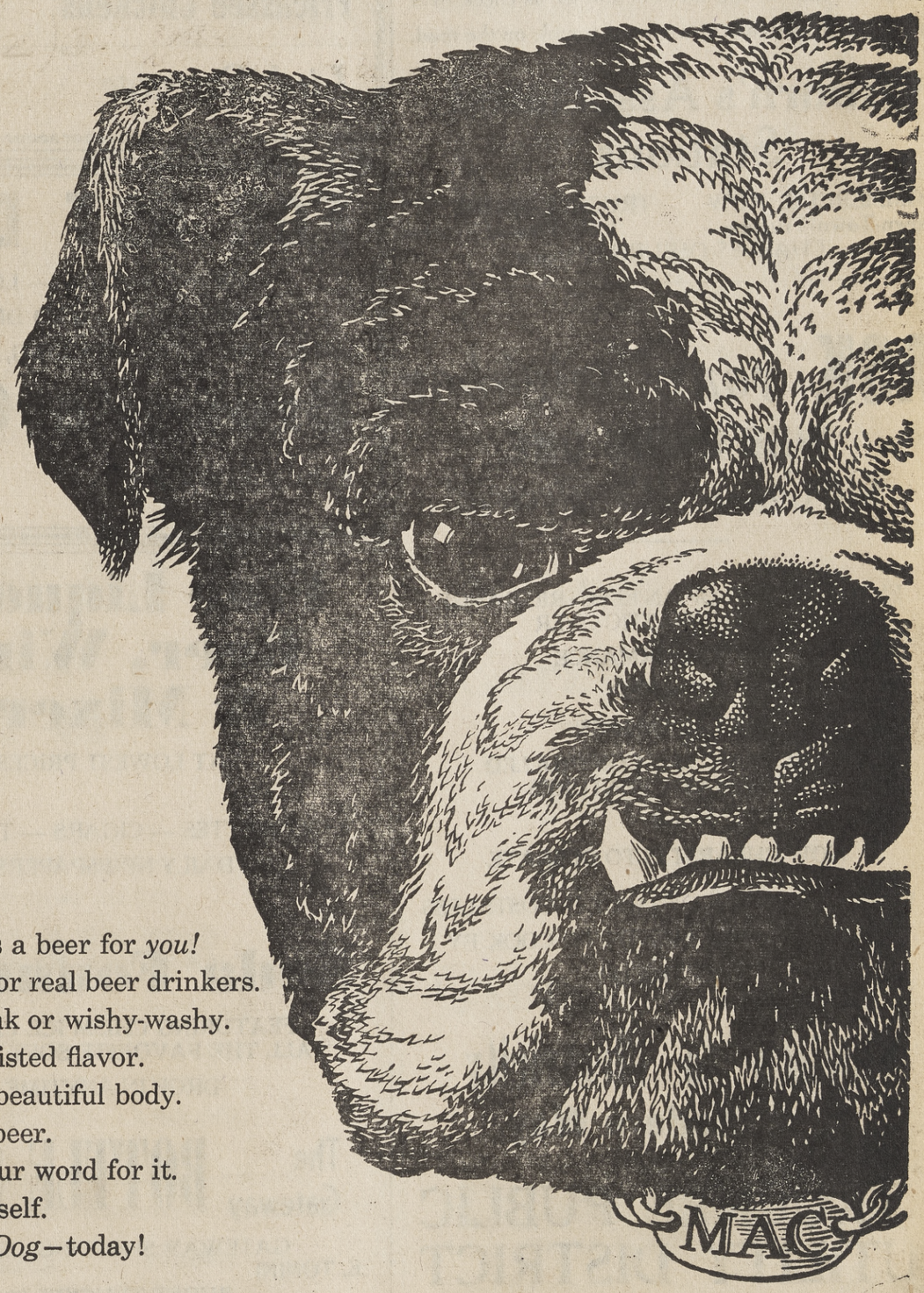

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LAKE CHAMBER TO NAME OFFICERS ON SEPTEMBER 12

TAHOE CITY— On September 12 a noon luncheon meeting will be held at Cal-Vada Lodge, Crystal Bay, by members of the Lake Tahoe Sierra Chamber of Commerce. All members of the organization, which recently merged the Lake Tahoe Chamber of Commerce with the Lake Tahoe Sierra Association are urged to be present as the nominating committee will present their suggestions for new officers of the group, to be voted upon by secret ballot.

At a meeting held in the Tahoe Community Center on August 7, ways and means of selecting new officers and methods of voting were the chief discussions of the evening.

evening. It was decided that the present 24 man interim committee, appointed at the time of the merger, will act as a nominating committee and compile a list of names of prospective officers and directors. Names of 30 prospective directors will be presented, of this number 15 will be elected; and the names of eight prospective officers will be presented, four of whom will be elected, making a final roster of four officers and 15 directors. Only those members who have paid up memberships will be permitted to participate in the voting.

The chamber is making a strenuous effort to include in its fold representative businesses of all kinds and it is hoped that through the election it may be shown the organization is truly representative of business, civic and personal interests, as well as the all-important resort trade. With the doubled capacity for production of benefits to all, the Lake Tahoe Sierra Chamber of Commerce should cement friendly relations and create a wide new field of operations for the benefit of all.

STUDY SEWER PLANS

TAHOE CITY— C. W. Vernon, manager of the Tahoe City Public Utility District, reports that nine firms have secured plans and specifications for the proposed sewer plant for the town which will be rushed to completion, if possible, before snow flies. The pipeline can be laid in 45 days, weather permitting. Bids will be opened at Vernon's office Thursday evening.

SWANEE'S Tahoe Letter

Tahoe City, Aug. 11

Dear Tahoeites:

Congratulations are pouring in to R. Stanley Dollar Jr., who is vacationing here with his family. Stan last Saturday won the coveted Gold Cup race during its 45th running at Seattle, in his Slo-Mo-Shun IV, the fastest boat in the world. This is one of speedboatings to contests. Stan also holds the Harmsworth International trophy and thus far no foreign built boat has challeneged the holder of the trophy. Should they do so it is believed that Dollar would exercise his privilege and designate Lake Tahoe as the site of the thrilling contest.

Mrs. Ray Fellows of Carnelian Bay received a pleasant surprise August 5 when two of her friends, Mrs. Bud Scott and Mrs. Jay Shontz of Tahoe City, dropped in for a visit. They had discovered it was Margie's birthday and brought along a fancy birthday cake and some nice gifts. A visit to some of the north end night spots followed later in the evening.

Glad to hear that Bill Stead of Reno, who was seriously injured when his racer did a flip during the Tahoe Yacht Club's regatta recently, is much better. He accompanied Stan Dollar and Fred Main to Seattle by plane over the weekend, with his arm still in a sling.

Guests of the James Bakers in Tahoe City last week were her brother, Dick Leuschner, and Laurill Mitchell, United Airlines stewardess, from San Francisco.

Had a lovely letter from my old friend, former Tahoeite Mrs. Bertha Mawdsley, who late husband, Captain George Mawdsley, was one of the last to pilot the old steamer Tahoe around the lake. She wrote from her summer home at West Point and wanted me to come up for a visit with her.

Some 26 out-of-town reservations for the Tri-County meeting of Federated Women's Clubs at Homewood Hotel Friday have been received by Mrs. Louise Geier to date. A fashion show will highlight the luncheon hour with local lovelies serving as models.

Although notices were sent out to 40 property owners of the Lake Forest area, only eight appeared at the Sam Goss home in answer to the invitations. The meeting was held for the purpose of determining what to do with the money left in the treasury of the Lake Forest Community Club which has been inactive for some months. Disposition decided upon will give a generous check to the Tahoe City Volunteer Fire Department, which makes calls in that district in emergencies, and a portion will be spent beautifying the district's beach, while the balance will go for a dinner party to which all paid up members will be invited. Then the club will disband, due to lack of interest and failure of members to attend meetings.

Mrs. Marie Henry of Tahoe City, director of the Placer County Tuberculosis and Health Assn., reminds local residents that the mobile chest x-ray unit will be in Tahoe City Wednesday, August 20, and at Kings Beach on the 21st. Hours at Tahoe City will be 10 a.m. to noon, 3 to 6 and 8 to 9 p.m. X-rays are free, money from Christmas seals providing the service free of charge to all. Alice Sorensen is in charge at Kings Beach.

One of the most colorful characters in the history of the lake will be laid to rest tomorrow in Tahoe City's little rustic cemetery —and one of the kindest. He could count his friends by the thousand and was visited annually by those who had known him in the early days when today's Tahoe was in its infancy. Bill Johnston, 74 at the time of his passing, came to the lake in 1896. He was one of the first commercial fishermen in early days and made his living thus when sale of fish was legal —but he also was a true sportsman who never abused his privileges and who worked ardently for the preservation and propagation of the fish right from the start. He was a crack shot and an able trapper. He was a kind and generous neighbor and friend and was known to dabble in writing—humorous and serious. His widow plans to complete the book he was writing about his life at Tahoe which covered more than half a century. He started the first housekeeping accommodations at the lake back in 1907 when he erected 40 tents on his resort property at Homewood, now known as Callender's Lodge. Tahoeites are saddened at his passing, which was preceded by illness which had limited his activity in later months. His wife, Violet, has picked a quiet spot in our local cemetery where he will lie in peace under the sighing branches of a giant pine and Tahoe will grieve at the loss of another of its pioneers. God rest his gentle soul.

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In the Matter of the Estate of VELTON L. DEATON, also known as V. L. DEATON, Deceased.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROBATE OF WILL

A document purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of VELTON L. DEATON, also known as V. L. DEATON, deceased, having on the 6th day of August, 1952, come into the possession of said Superior Court, and a petition for probate thereof and for the issuance of letters testamentary to Edythe Deaton having been filed by said Edythe Deaton with me, the Clerk of said Court, notice is hereby given that Monday, the 8th day of September, 1952, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day, in Department ....., at the Courtroom of said Court, at the Courthouse, in the City of Nevada, in the County of Nevada, has been set as the time and place for proving the will of said Velton L. Deaton, also known as V. L. Deaton, deceased, and for hearing the application of said Edythe Deaton for the issuance to her of letters testamentary, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the seal of said Superior Court this 6th day of August, 1952.

R. E. DEEBLE, Clerk (3ag21)

AGED BRUIN PAYS COMPLIMENT TO SCOTT'S GARBAGE

TAHOE CITY— Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott, who are vacationing at their summer home near the Tavern, had an unusual experience last week when they were visited at night by Maggie, a 600 pound brown bear who has been making her home at Tahoe for many years.

The Scotts may not appreciate it, but Maggie paid them a compliment when she visited their garbage pit and looted it while they watched at a distance from the porch. Maggie sat on the lid of their sunken garbage pit, breaking off the lid with her weight, which made it possible for her to reach down with her big paws and help herself to the tasty tidbits. After a few moments of eating she went and sat down under a tree, resting a while, and then returned to the grab bag. She eyed the folks who watched her, without concern, and remained until she had had her fill.

Clarence Beavers, forest service employee at Tahoe Park, knows lod Maggie and declares she is an aristocrat of her race. He calls her a "gentle old girl who lives up in Page Meadows with a friendly attitude toward humans." She gets lonely every so often and makes a forage on the neighborhood—but only eats from those garbage cans with distinctive, flavorful contents. She is very choosy about her diet, influenced no doubt by the fact that her teeth are almost worn away she is so old. Her hair is graying around the ears and nose and during her ramblings, when she finds a garbage can too full of bottles and cans, she dumps it over and leaves the contents scattered all over, disdaining to even snoop for a tasty morsel.

So the Scotts should be honored to have Maggie pay them a nocturnal visit—and remain for refills.

South Tahoe Church Fair Scheduled August 23

AL TAHOE— The Women's Society of the Lake Tahoe Community Methodist Church is sponsoring a Country Fair to be held Saturday, August 23, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on the Presbyterian Church grounds, across from the American Legion Hall at the south end of Lake Tahoe.

All the activities which make an old fashioned Country Fair so much fun will be enjoyed, reports Daisy Miller, publicity chairman.

Lt. Wm. Briner Returns From Korea Front

TAHOE CITY— First Lt. William Briner has returned to the United States after 13 months of service as an aerial photographer in Korea. He returned about three weeks ago and is stationed at a Sacramento air base, which enables him to spend his weekends at home, Sunnyside Lodge, near Tahoe City, which is owned and operated by his family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears. He will be eligible for release to civilian life in December.

Determined Few Changed Course Of History

by Rev. James Keller

THE RECENT WAVE of prison riots caused millions to shudder. The rioting showed in miniature how a determined handful can take over in a moment.

This shocking outbreak convinced us more than ever before of the pressing need for a few—with the vision of the good and the daring of the evil—to take it upon themselves to strive for the things that make for peace.

A moral breakdown already has our country tottering—through disloyalty, corruption, graft, delinquency, narcotics, immorality, and a host of other abuses.

Is all of this a final warning? Is it the beginning of the end?

SOMETHING CAN STILL be done about it—it is not too late. There can be a great hope for the future, if only one percent of Americans can be found, without delay, to risk everything to stem the tide and rebuild the spiritual foundations on which our country began.

God will bless even the least individual who tries to play a part in this breathtaking opportunity to change the world for the better.

EVEN LENIN paid tribute to the power of the few. When asked what helped the Communists most in overthrowing Russia, he promptly replied, "The weakness of our enemies." Then he continued: "If there had been in Petrograd, in 1917, only a group of a few thousand men who knew what they wanted, we would never have come to power in Russia."

Often have we thought of those "few thousands." They were probably very good people who felt no obligation to anyone but themselves.

Those "few thousands" missed the chance of a lifetime—yes, of a century—to change the course of history toward peace.

NOW IT'S our turn. Will we measure up to this extraordinary challenge or not? You have part of the answer to that.

In God's plan a very few in America may have it in their hands to bring lasting peace and freedom to the world for generations to come. One of those few can be you.

Yes, you can help save the world before it is too late! What a great time to be alive!

† Pacific Information Service, Washington, D. C.

LAST TRIBUTE PAID ON TUESDAY TO WILLIAM JOHNSTON

TAHOE CITY— William Charles Johnston, 74, died in his sleep of natural causes some time Friday night, August 8, in his cabin at Homewood. His body was discovered Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock when his niece and her husband, the Imon Mitchells of Sunnyside, dropped in to visit him. He had taken off his shoes and was lying on the bed, apparently passing away in his sleep.

Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 at the Outdoor Chapel of the Pines by Bishop Noel Porter, who also read the graveside ritual. Burial was in Tahoe City cemetery. Many beautiful floral offering were sent by old friends. Mrs. Wm. Carr of Yuba City, sister of Mrs. Johnston, and Mrs. Les Clark of Van Nuys, foster daughter, attended the services. Mrs. Charles Beardsley of Pineland rendered several selections on the organ. The service as conducted by the bishop were both impressive and simply beautiful.

Survivors are his widow, Violet, of Reno and Tahoe, a sister, Mrs. Wessie James of Carmichael, a nephew Stanley Johnston of Sacramento, and niece Mrs. Jeannette Mitchell of Sunnyside.

Pall bearers were Imon Mitchell, Stanley Johnston, Art Sather, John Pingree, Charles Swanson and Warren Urch. Honorary pall bearers were Bert Watson, Bob Watson, Carl Bechdolt Sr. and Willie Arnhold.

YMCA OUTING

Twenty-two Reno YMCA boys spent Saturday at Zephyr Cove on Lake Tahoe. This was one of their regular Saturday trips into the mountains as part of the "Y" summer program. The trip was made in an open truck up the Carson Grade and back Mt. Rose highway. In addition to swimming, many of the boys hiked to the YWCA Camp Ney-A-Ti where the YMCA spends a couple of weeks each year. The hike also included a climb to the fire lookout above Zephyr Cove.

Attend Funeral—
of Oakland motored to Tahoe to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wilkinson attend the funeral on Tuesday of their old friend and neighbor, Bill Johnston.

At Mitchells—
Sunday guests at the Imon Mitchell home in Sunnyside included Mrs. Ruth Meyers, Arthur Hagen and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wolsberg and son Craig, all of Reno. Mrs. William Johnston of Reno, aunt of Mrs. Mitchell, is a house-guest.

Fishing Outing—
Successful fishermen on Sunday were Imon Mitchell of Sunnyside and Bert Anderson of Pineland. They got their limits at Richardson Lake with worms, the largest of their eastern brook trout measuring around 12 inches in length. They were accompanied by Mrs. Anderson, Annette Rodriguez and four-year-old Dale Mitchell.

Mrs. Mayhew Up—
Mrs. William Mayhew of Oakland is staying at her Lake Tahoe resort until late in the season.

Caesar Curzi of the San Francisco Opera Company will star in the Sacramento Music Circus production of The Fledermaus opening August 18th. The Johann Strauss musical is a special post season event following the last regular show of the season, Finian's Rainbow, which closes August 17th.

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My Place in the Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

Willard Painter was in on his 18th birthdate, August 12, to put his name in the hat.....out of which Uncle Sam draws his armed service personnel.....I hear there's a confab slated at the high school early in September.....to talk over the possibility of a National Guard component for the Truckee area .....The fleet may not be in but it can't be far out.....with Truckee sailors Andy Garcia, Louis Goicoa and Earl Smith all visiting along Front Street this week.....Earl left Tuesday to join a carrier on the coast.....Aljai Caples, one-time Hobart Miller, with his wife, up from Sacramento to visit the E. E. Payens at their ranch near here .....Harold Langille is being greeted by those in the know with "Happy Birthday" today.....Once more, the Western Pacific Zephyr drew wondering eyes in town as it streaked westward over the Southern Pacific's Donner route instead of its own Feather River route yesterday.....Two SUNadvertisers and the Sun's Personalized Christmas card display remind us that time flies.....and Christmas is coming.....

NORTH TAHOE

by THELMA BURROUGHS

The condition of Mrs. P. R. Murray of Tahoe Vista, a patient at St. Mary's Hospital in Reno, is reported to be relatively unchanged—still quite critical. Her neighbors are praying for improvement.

Norman King, son of Dorothy and Bert King of Tahoe Vista, has returned to his ship in San Diego after a two weeks leave from the Navy.

The directors of the North Tahoe fire control organization met Tuesday night to discuss their current campaign to raise funds for Vehicle No. 2 and housing to keep the equipment out of the elements. The meeting was held in the North Tahoe Public Utility office at Kings Beach. The directors plan to go to Auburn Friday to seek county aid on the housing projecct under the 1952-53 budget. Plans have been drawn for the building by Fred Miller of Kings Beach and it is hoped the edifice will be ready before the snow flies.

Mrs. Marshall C. (Pauline) Smith and daughter, Nancy, of Oakland are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Burroughs of Tahoe Vista.

Roy Porath has taken over the confectionery concession in the lobby of Vern Shattuck's Tahoe Theater at Kings Beach and has employed Ada Akers to operate it. Therein lies a tale of determination and courage that makes us proud to know Ada. Last Thanksgiving, she was badly injured in an automobile accident and, after many months of painful treatment and slow recovery, this mother of two small youngsters emerged from her casts just last week and her many friends will be happy to see her getting along so well after such a trial.

The ladies of the Women's Society of the Community Methodist Church ask me to remind you of their Ham Dinner which will be served in Carpenters' Hall at Kings Beach at 5:30 p.m. August 21 with proceeds to go to the church building fund. This will be a great spot to meet the folks you haven't been able to visit this busy summer and still get in on a fine dinner, which you will be needing about that time of day anyway.

Friends hereabouts received announcements this week of the arrival of a granddaughter for the Walt Baileys of Tahoe Vista, born July 31 in southern California. The mama is daughter Beverly Lindquist of Rivera, Calif., and the recent arivee weighed five pounds 11 ounces at birth.

James W. Morehouse of Sun Valley, Calif., told Washoe County deputies Sunday that his 1949 Ford sedan had been stolen. He said the car, which bore California license 1N98623, was stolen from Crystal Bay, Lake Tahoe.

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SENATE REQUESTS FOUR LANE ROUTE OVER HIGH SIERRA

The California state senate is asking a four-lane route over the Sierra Nevada to move men and suppplies to the vital San Francisco bay area in event of enemy attack, a news dispatch from Sacramento says.

The solons adopted a resolution, authored by Sen. Harold T. Johnson (D), Roseville, urging California members of congress to seek defense funds for immediate modernization of a major trans-Sierra highway.

The measure mentions no specific route but points out the way in which existing roads were paralyzed by severe blizzard conditions last winter.

San Francisco, it states, would be a primary target for enemy attack or sabotage and "therefore would require emergency supply and reinforcement over the central trans-Sierra route."

In San Francisco—

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Smart and children, Reggie and Karen, were San Francisco visitors this week.

Burns Back—

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Burns have returned to Donner Lake. He is now employed by Mountain Rotary Fuel Company.

AUTO ACCIDENTS

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day night and overturned. Fisher was rushed to the Tahoe Forest Hospital by Truckee ambulance. Sergeant Smith investigated.

Couple Injured

Rex Arden Barry, 58, and his wife, Eva, of Sacramento were injured Friday when the car driven by the former got out of control when he attempted to take it out of overdrive near Soda Springs. The car went over a bank and was wrecked. Sergeant Smith made the investigation.

Crashes Tree

A man and a woman, tentatively identified as Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Flinder of South Arcadia, were seriously if not critically hurt yesterday morning at 3:30 when their coupe left the highway and crashed into a tree near Carnelian Bay. Both were rushed to a Reno hospital and Patrolman T. F. Sheehan said their condition was serious.

Goes Off Road

Melbourn J. Temple, 53, New York, had minor injuries when his car ran off the highway near Cisco Monday. Patrolman Gautsche investigated.

Tahoe Man Hurt

John Angus Bowman, 30, Kings Beach, was cited by Patrolman Sheehan for driving without due caution after his car ran off the highway five and a half miles east of Tahoe City. Bowman has minor injuries.

CHECK PASSERS BUSY ON SUMMIT, RESORTER SAYS

The bad check practice is not isolated to Truckee in this region. One Donner Summit resort man, who preferred to remain anonymous, said he was awakened in the middle of the night by a motorist who presented all kinds of identification, secured a $4 cabin, gave a $25 check, obtained his change and drove away. The man registered from Atlanta, Ga., but never went to his room.

The resort man told of another where a previous customer, apparently with a good financial record, issued him four checks totaling $85—all of which bounced.

Smart Guests—

Mr. and Mrs. Duard Brown and children of Washington were the weekend guests of the Reg Smarts here.

CONGRESS GROUP VISITS HERE ON FOREST PROJECT

A congressional subcommittee on agriculture visited Truckee and the Tahoe National Forest this week. The committee is studying grazing practices and sustained timber yield in the various national forests and was accompanied by Forest Supervisor Guerdon Ellis from Nevada City and District Ranger E. E. Boehm.

The group spent one night at Lake Tahoe following the Truckee district visit.

Included in the group were William S. Hill (R), Colorado; Charles B. Hoeven (R), Iowa; Harold Patten (D), Arizona; James Lind (D), and Walter Mumma (R), Pennsylvania, member of the merchant marine and fisheries committee.

Republican members of the group expressed confidence for the chances of a change in administration this fall and praised Candidate Dwight Eisenhower for his interest in natural resources and wild life.

Congressman Patten may or may not have been impressed with fishing in Lake Tahoe. At any rate he and his secretary will have a tale to tell when they get back to Arizona.

Accompanied by Forest Ranger E. E. Boehm, the visitors took a trip onto the lake in search of trout. They caught one before the outboard motor plugged up and the party returned to shore.

They attempted trolling from a speedboat and were having some luck, mostly bad, when the exhaust pipe parted and the boat started filling with water. By holding the pipe together, they managed to reach shore and gave the excursion up.

Bids for School Work Are Being Sought

Bids for landscaping the grounds at the Tahoe-Truckee High School will be opened by the governing board of the district at the office of Superintendent E. V. O'Rourke at 8 o'clock Friday, August 29.

The work will include installing of a sprinkler system, subgrading, top soiling, seeding and lawn and field seeding, as well as drilling a well and installing a water system.

Win Gold Medals

SAN FRANCISCO— Four San Francisco apparel manufacturers this week were displaying gold medals won in competition in the California State Fair Fashion and Fabric Exposition.

The San Francisco winners were Gantner of California, Levi Strauss & Co., Emma Domb Inc. and Koret of California. In addition, they won 16 blue ribbons and Trude of California accounted for another five blue ribbons.

The San Francisco manufactured garments will be displayed during the Pageant of California Fashions, to be staged nightly at the State Fair in Sacramento.

Entertains Club—

Mrs. John Gracik entertained members of her card club group on Monday evening, the hostess serving refreshments at the close of the playing.

At Furniture Mart—

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leamon and children returned from San Francisco where they attended the furniture mart, buying new merchandise for their local store.

With Fuel Firm—

Lloyd Everett is now employed with the Mountain Rotary Fuel Co.

Olivers Visit—

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oliver, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Balsz, visited local friends today, returning to Sacramento by way of Lake Tahoe.

KOREAN PICTURES SHOWN TO LIONS

Edward H. Beaver, who recently returned from Japan and Korea, displayed slides of pictures he took at the meeting of the Lions Club last night. Fred Main told of his recent visit to Seattle where he announced the boat races. H. J. Newsham, new Truckee telephone company manager, was inducted as a new member of the club.

Guests included Dr. Oliver Scow of Truckee; J. F. Reynolds, Alhambra; Arlo Fara, El Cerrito; Ray McCarthy and Lee Slenhard, Whittier; Bill Lavin, Lodi; Manuel Miller, San Francisco; Paul Oehler, Auburn, and Joseph O'Connor, Grass Valley.

Charles Heller was program chairman and Angelo Besio presided.

In Dental Office—

Miss Verna May of Truckee has accepted a position as appointment secretary in the dental offices Dr. Oliver Scow Jr.

Lehmans Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Lehman of Shingle are visiting their local

From Spring Valley—

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hawkins, who have been at Spring Valley, have returned to Truckee to make their home.

WARDEN SPEAKER AT TAHOE ROTARY CLUB GATHERING

HOMEWOOD— At their meeting at noon Tuesday, members of the Tahoe City Rotary Club heard a talk by Art Bernard, warden of the Nevada state penitentiary and Carson City Rotarian. He pointed out that each convict in the U.S. represents an average tax outlay of $2.50 a day and each prisoner on Alcatraz Island costs $8 per day.

He also pointed out that the FBI reports there is a 51 per cent increase in crime in 1951 over 1950 and 92,000 more convicts in 1951 over 1950.

At next week's meeting at 12:10 p.m. Tuesday at Homewood Resort the speaker will discuss the work and record of the FBI.

Leamons at Willows—

Mr. and Mrs. James Leamon were Willows visitors last weekend.

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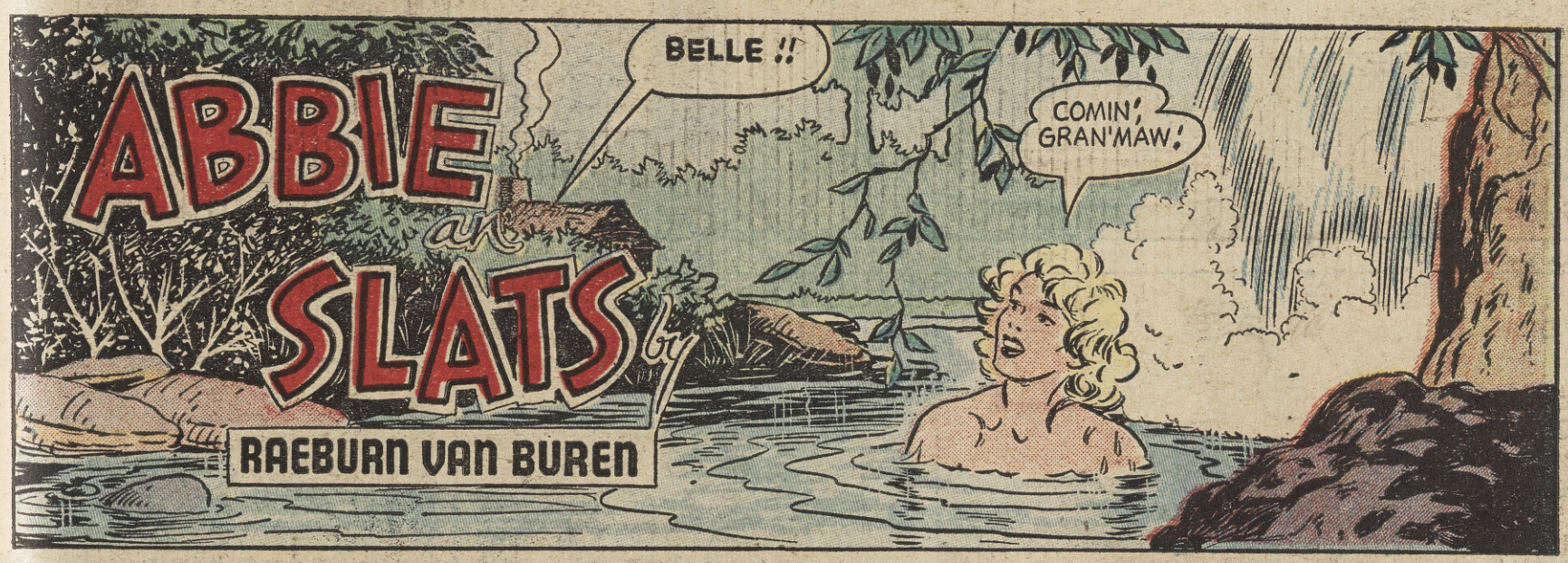

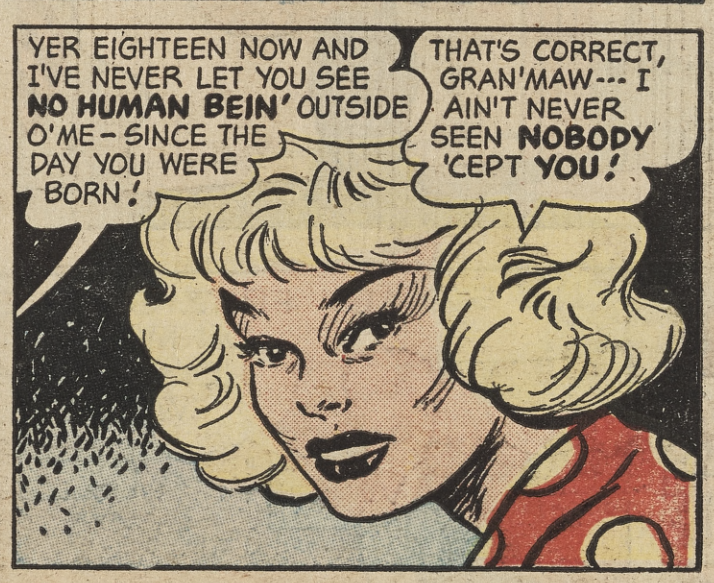
YER EIGHTEEN NOW AND I'VE NEVER LET YOU SEE NO HUMAN BEIN' OUTSIDE O'ME - SINCE THE DAY YOU WERE BORN!
THAT'S CORRECT, GRAN'MAW--- I AIN'T NEVER SEEN NOBODY 'CEPT YOU!

BUT AIN'T YOU EVEN GOIN' T' GIVE ME A HINT, GRAN'MAW?
NO, CHILE--WHEN IT COMES IT'LL COME AS A HORRIBLE SHOCK! TIME (SHUDDER) ENOUGH FOR THAT!

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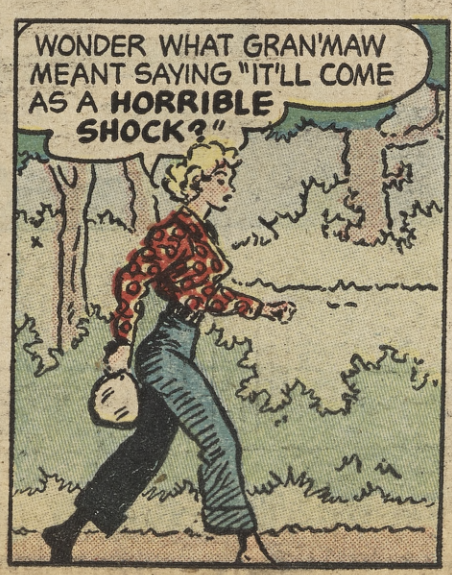

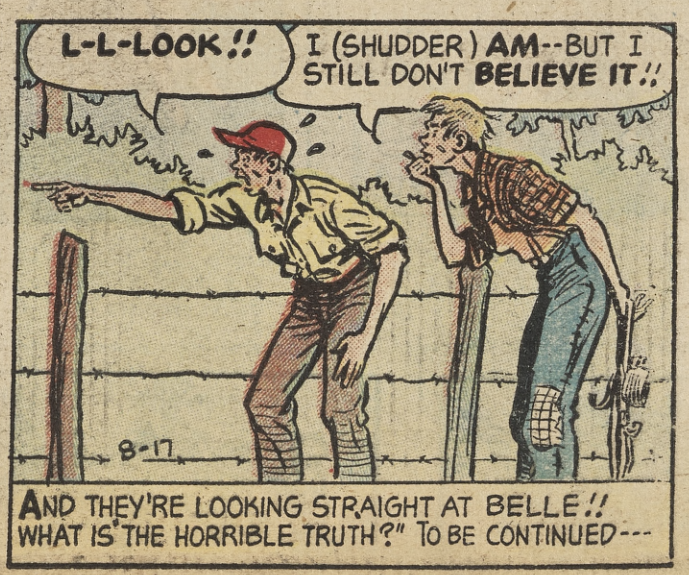
L-L-LOOK!!
I (SHUDDER) AM--BUT I STILL DON'T BELIEVE IT!!
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AND THEY'RE LOOKING STRAIGHT AT BELLE!! WHAT IS THE HORRIBLE TRUTH?" TO BE CONTINUED---

Fritzi Ritz

By ERNIE BUSHMILLER ®

I KNOW WHAT I'LL DO TODAY

I THINK I'LL WORK ON THIS AND WATCH TELEVISION

MY, THIS IS A THRILLING MOVIE

SUCH SUSPENSE

LATER

I'LL STOP BY FRITZI'S HOUSE ON MY WAY HOME FROM WORK

HELLO, FRITZI-- WHY DON'T YOU TURN ON THE LIGHTS? IT'S DARK OUTSIDE

I DIDN'T NOTICE-- I WAS WATCHING A GRIPPING MOVIE

BY THE WAY, I'M FINISHING THE SWEATER I'M MAKING FOR YOU

CLICK

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The Nebbs

by Hess

I JUST LOVE THE NEW CAR YOU BOUGHT ME, RUDY-

I'M GLAD YOU DO, FANNY-

YOU ARE SUCH AN EXCELLENT BACK-SEAT DRIVER THAT I THOUGHT YOU DESERVED A CAR OF YOUR OWN-

I PROMISED PHOEBE I'D TAKE HER OUT TODAY AND SHOW HER HOW WELL I CAN DRIVE-

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IT MUST BE A PLEASURE TO DRIVE THIS BEAUTIFUL NEW CAR, FANNY-

WE'LL HAVE LUNCH IN THE NEXT TOWN AND THEN WE CAN GO ANTIQUING-

YOU'D BETTER SLOW DOWN, FANNY-, THERE'S A MOTORCYCLE COP FOLLOWING US-

PULL OVER TO THE SIDE, PLEASE-

LOOK, LADY- ACCORDING TO MY SPEEDOMETER YOU WERE DRIVING 50 MILES AN HOUR IN A 40-MILE ZONE-

SO WHAT? THE DEALER WHO SOLD US THIS CAR SAID WE COULD GO AS FAST AS WE LIKED AFTER THE FIRST THOUSAND MILES!

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STRANGE as it seems

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A THERMOMETER NEITHER RISES NOR FALLS IF HELD IN FRONT OF AN ELECTRIC FAN -- *TRY IT!*

MAN O' WAR WAS FOALED IN KENTUCKY AND DIED IN KENTUCKY BUT *NEVER RACED* THERE -- HIS ONLY DEFEAT WAS AT THE "HOOFS" OF *UPSET!*

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MILLARD FILLMORE, 13TH PRESIDENT OF THE U.S., BOUGHT HIS FIRST BOOK WHEN HE WAS *NINETEEN* -- *A DICTIONARY!*

JOE INKS

by HENRY FORMHALS

HI, FELLAH! YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'VE LOST YOUR BEST FRIEND!

I HAVEN'T LOST A **THING**! BUT I AM LOOKING FOR SOMETHING! AN **IDEA**!

SAY, THERE'S A GUY THAT WRITES A DAILY NEWSPAPER COLUMN IN TH' CABIN DOWN BY TH' CREEK, AND IS **HE** IN A STEW! SAYS HE HASN'T GOT AN IDEA!

I GUESS IT MUST BE DIFFICULT TO WRITE SOMETHING DIFFERENT EACH DAY!

AW, IT'S A **CINCH**! THESE SO-CALLED CREATIVE GENIUSES ARE **ALWAYS** GRIPING ABOUT HOW TOUGH IT IS TO GET IDEAS!-----STORY-WRITERS, COLUMNISTS, CARTOONISTS — ALL TH' **SAME**!

WELL, SPEAKING OF WRITING—

YOU'VE OWED AUNT JESSIE A LETTER FOR MONTHS! YOU PROMISED TO WRITE IT WHEN WE CAME TO THE MOUNTAINS!

I'LL GET RIGHT TO IT! I'LL WRITE HER A NICE NEWSY LETTER!

DEAR AUNT JESSIE---

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WHERE CAN I FIND A STAMP AND AN ENVELOPE?

DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE FINALLY FINISHED? LET'S SEE WHAT YOU WROTE!

Dear Aunt Jessie-
Having a wonderful time - wish you were here.
Yours Truly,
Joe.

HENRY FORMHALS

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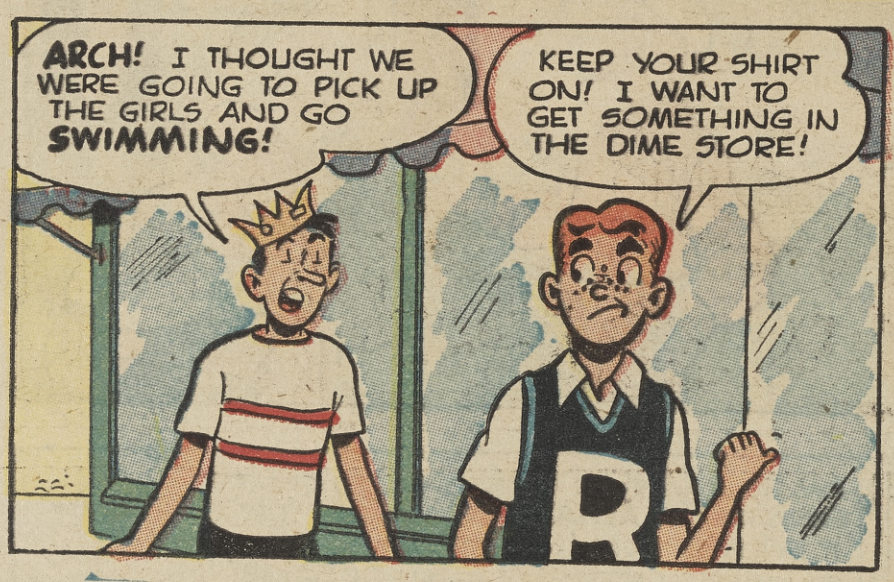
Archie

by BOB MONTANA


ARCH! I THOUGHT WE WERE GOING TO PICK UP THE GIRLS AND GO SWIMMING!
KEEP YOUR SHIRT ON! I WANT TO GET SOMETHING IN THE DIME STORE!

USED BY THE HOLLYWOOD STARS
TUBE-A-TAN
THE NEW SUN TAN OIL
A TAN IN EVERY TUBE!
GOSH! WILL IT MAKE ME LOOK LIKE ALAN LADD?
I'LL BE LOOKING AT THE MODEL AIRPLANES!
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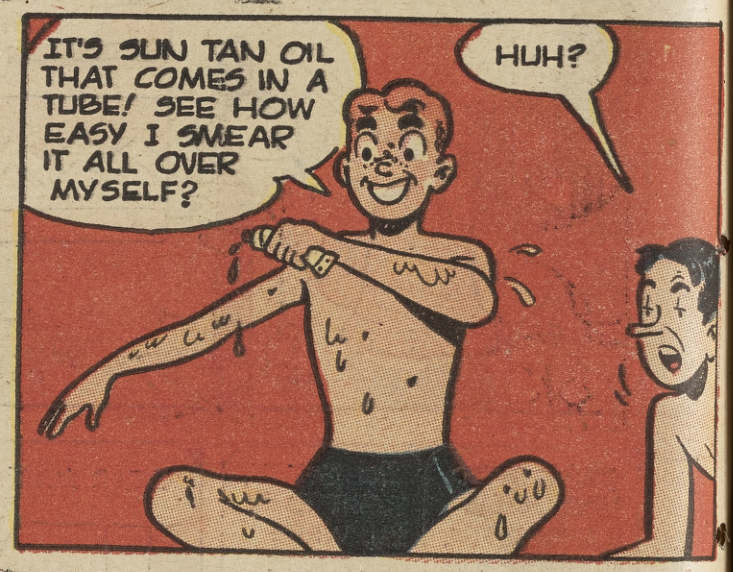

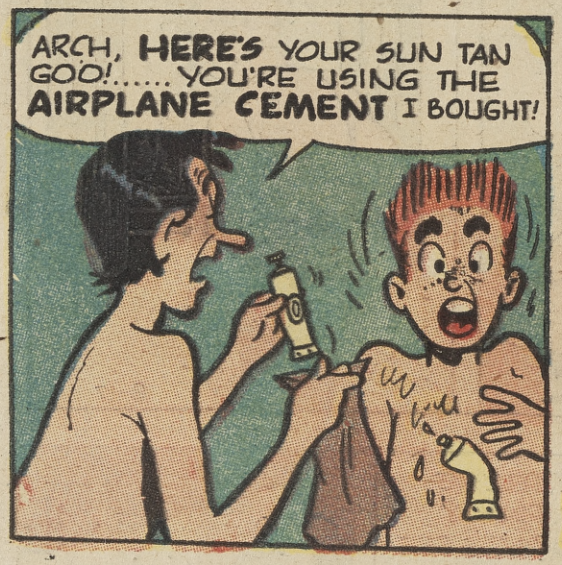

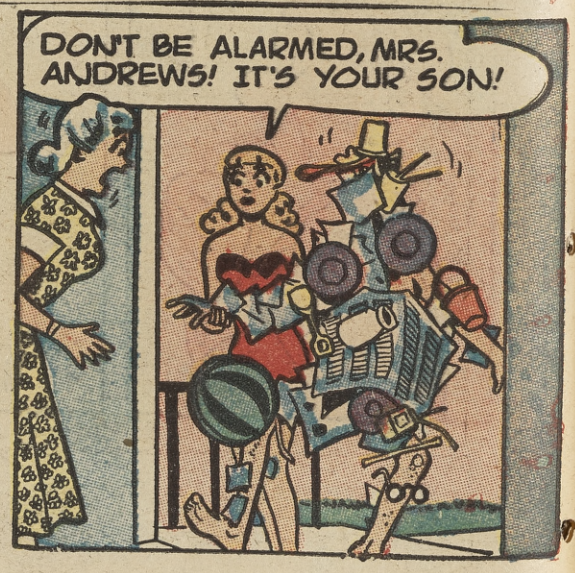

THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS®

BY R. DIRKS

HERE ISS DER NATURE PUPILS, PROFESSOR! MAMA'S ORDERS, UND I VISH YOU LUCK

GOOD MORNING, BOYS. VE SHALL GO AMONG DER CHUNGLE VILD LIFE UND LOIN HOW NATURE ISS AT DER BOTTOM OF DER WHOLE BITZNESS

PROF. DUNDERBRAIN NATURE TEACHER

VOT DER DOD-BOGGLE KIND OF A NATURE LESSON YOU CALL DOT?

HUSH, CAPTAIN! VHY NOT CHOIN DER CLASS UND LOIN ABOUDT DER SUN, DER RAIN, DER TUNDER UND LIGHTNING, DER BOIDS UND DER BEES, DER FLOWERS UND DER TREES? HOW ABOUDT IT?

LISTEN— BEFORE YOU GO INTO DOT NATURE STUFF BETTER YOU STUDY FOIST ABOUDT KIDS!

BUT MY POOPLES, VHY DON'T MY POOPLES COME MIT?

DERE ISS YOUR PUPILS! KEEP DER EYE ON DER KIDS UND DER NOSE OUDT OF DER BOOK ISS DER SYSTEM

CHIGGERS

PLUNK

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YOU MEAN I SHOULD ROLL UP DER SLEEF?

POSITIFLY! IF YOU ISS GOING TO LOIN DESE VEASELS, ROLL UP DER SLEEF UND GET A GOOD SVITCH!

O.K., CAPTAIN, VOT SHOULD I DO NEXT?

OOPS! OXCUSE ME! YOU TAKE IT FUM HERE, PROFESSOR

MOOFING, PROFESSOR? —VHY?

I GO STUDY NATURE VARE NATURE ISS MORE QUIET! DOES DOT ANSWER YOUR QUESTION, INSPECTOR?

NATURE SCHOOL FOR RENT

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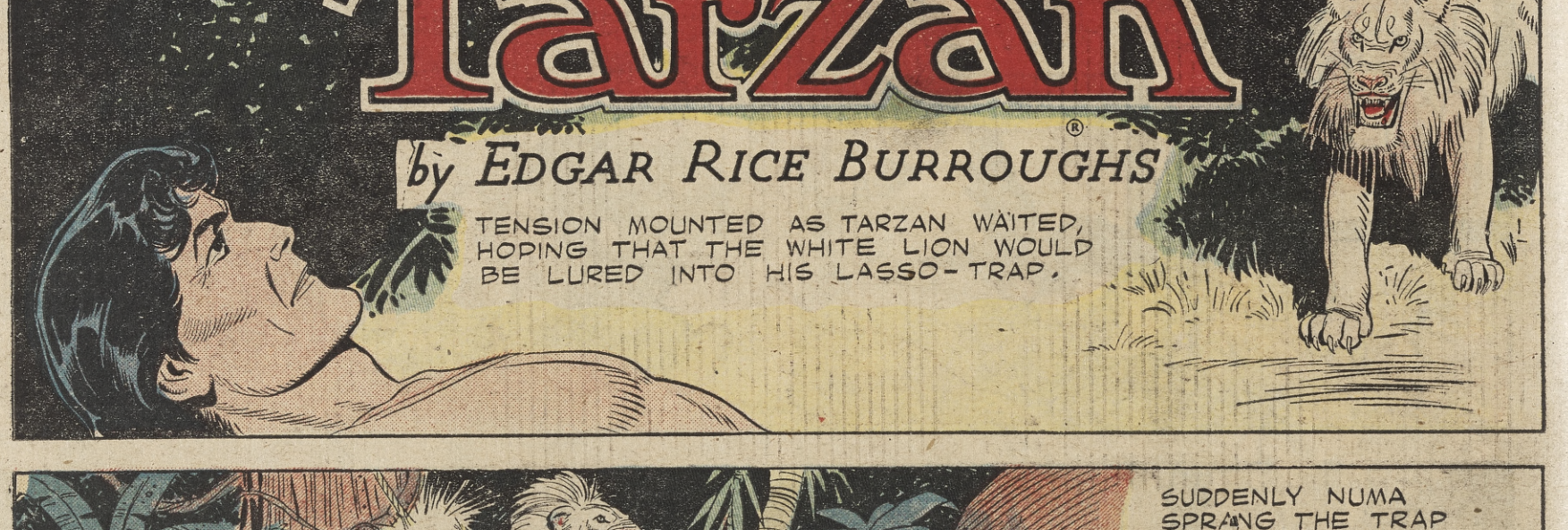
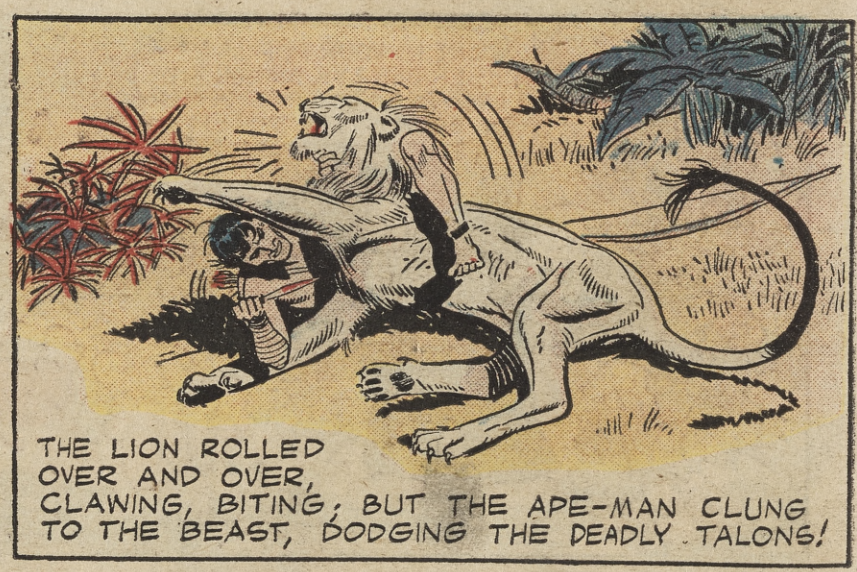
Tarzan®

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS



SUDDENLY NUMA SPRANG THE TRAP AND THE NOOSE WAS QUICKLY CHOKED ABOUT HIS NECK! TARZAN JUMPED UP, FIRING AN ARROW-- BUT THE STINGING BARB GOADED THE BEAST INTO A FURIOUS SURGE OF STRENGTH THAT SNAPPED THE ROPE!

WITHOUT HESITATION TARZAN LEAPED AT NUMA, TANGLED THE FINGERS OF ONE HAND IN THE SNOWY MANE AND PLUNGED HIS KNIFE DEEP WITH THE OTHER.



MEANWHILE, THE NATIVES HAD DROPPED TO THE GROUND AND WATCHED, UNBELIEVINGLY, AS THE MIGHTY ANIMAL STAGGERED AND COLLAPSED -- AND THEN THEIR BLOOD FROZE AS THE WILD-EYED FOREST GOD STOOD, APE-LIKE, OVER THE QUIVERING CARCASS AND BELLOWED OUT HIS VICTORY!
Bob Lubbers and Dick Van Buren
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